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Applicant : Silcock et al.
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PREPARATIONS FOR
BIOACTIVE METAL ION
DELIVERY AND TEETH
REMINERALISATION
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Confirmation No. : 8251

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement electronically delivered on August 8, 2007, Applicants elect, without traverse, to proceed with examination on the merits of Group III (Claims 19-43 and 45-51), drawn to a composition comprising a phosphoprotein preparation obtained by partially cross linking a hydrolysate of casein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.